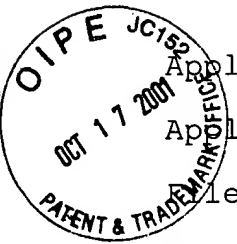


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Sir:

Enclosed herewith is a Supplemental Declaration that should be made part of the record of the present application.

The undersigned hereby declares that "Attorney Docket No. 3313-0350P on page 1 of the attached inventors' Declaration, corresponds to Appl. No. 09/897,125, filed July 3, 2001, entitled "SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR BOOKING INTERNATIONAL MULTIPLE-STOP TICKETS."

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